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IN RE APPLICATION OF: Edwards  
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**Amendment after Allowance Under 37 C.F.R. §1.312**

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Sir:

This amendment is being submitted in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.312.

Please amend the application as follows.

**In the Specification:**

On page 1, please replace the paragraph starting on line 5 with the following:

*D1*  
This application is a continuation of application serial No. 09/364,203 entitled "RF TREATMENT APPARATUS," filed July 30, 1999, now pending, which is a continuation of application serial No. 08/623,652 entitled "RF TREATMENT APPARATUS," filed March 29, 1996, now U.S. Patent No. 5,935,123, which is a continuation of application serial no. 08/295,166 entitled "RF TREATMENT APPARATUS," filed August 24, 1994, now U.S. Patent No. 5,599,345, which is a continuation-in-part of Application serial No. 08/148,439 entitled "DEVICE FOR TREATING CANCER AND NON-MALIGNANT TUMORS AND METHODS," filed November 08, 1993, now U.S. Patent No. 5,548,597, by Edwards et al. each of which is incorporated herein by reference.

On page 1, please replace the paragraph starting on line 24 with the following: